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YEAR 10 WORK EXPERIENCE

NHS Work Experience Opportunities

NHS are offering work experience in multiple departments, including their admin and catering teams. Please check the minimum age for each vacancy, before applying. You will need to complete an application form directly to the NHS. Please [click here](#) to see the available vacancies. The website keeps updating, so please check back for any new opportunities.



Leicestershire Police Work Experience Programme

Leicestershire Police are offering work experience this year. Students will need to complete an application form if they are interested in the programme. Please send an [email to request a copy of the application form](#). The **deadline is Tuesday 31st October**.



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YEAR 11 SPOTLIGHT

College Applications

Next half term Year 11 will begin to work on their college applications. They will start with writing their personal statements in PDC lessons. Please research multiple colleges and attend open days. Check college websites, as some require you to book in advance for the open days.

PS16 Timeline

- ⇒ **September to January** – 1 to 1 Careers Advise appointment with Lee Flanagan.
- ⇒ **October and November** - Visit College Open Days and attend Lunchtime Talks.
- ⇒ **23rd October to 10th November** - Personal Statement writing, PS16 Login Issued – Complete profile section and start to add courses to favourites.
- ⇒ Applications need to be completed by **Christmas** to give time for checking.
- ⇒ **10th January** - Predicted Grades will be uploaded for you – course choices will then be checked against your predicted grades.
- ⇒ **12th January** - Final application deadline for students. Tutor references are completed.
- ⇒ School will review and send off all applications to college providers by **31st January**.
- ⇒ **February to April** – Post-16 College Interviews take place.
- ⇒ **March to May** – Colleges make offers to students. Students accept or decline the offer.





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Local College & Sixth Form Open Days Autumn 2023/24

College	Date	Time
NWSLC – Wigston Campus	Monday 23 rd October	5pm – 8pm
Leicester College - all campuses	Tuesday 26 th October	4pm – 8pm
Bosworth Academy	Thursday 26 th October	4.30pm – 7pm
Gateway College	Thursday 26 th October	5pm – 7pm
	Saturday 28 th October	10am – 1pm
Beauchamp College	Saturday 28 th October	10am – 2pm
BMC College - Brooksby Campus	Saturday 28 th October	9am – 4pm
WQE (both campuses)	Saturday 4 th November	10am – 4pm
Beauchamp City Sixth Form	Saturday 4 th November	10am – 2pm
Loughborough College	Saturday 4 th November	9.30am – 1.30pm
BMC College - Stephenson Campus	Saturday 4 th November	10am – 1pm
Wigston College	Wednesday 8 th November	5.30pm – 8.00pm
St Pauls Catholic School	Thursday 9 th November	4.30pm – 7pm
BMC College - Animal Studies Open Day	Saturday 11 th November	10am – 1pm
BMC College - Melton Campus (Performing Arts)	Tuesday 14 th November	5pm – 7pm
The City of Leicester Sixth Form	Thursday 16 th November	5pm – 7pm
Leicester College - all campuses	Saturday 25 th November	10am – 2pm
Loughborough College	Saturday 25 th November	9.30am – 1.30pm
NWSLC – Wigston Campus	Monday 27 th November	5pm – 8pm

Please check times and dates on each college website beforehand as changes may occur! Details of Open Days are advertised on individual College websites and many are now asking you to pre-book your place to allow for social distancing etc.



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IBM Apprenticeships Webinar

17th October 2023 6:30—7:30pm

For: Students and parents of Year 10 & 11

Are you looking to solve some of the world's biggest problems ranging from Artificial Intelligence, to sustainability and data science? If so, you won't want to miss out on this free and interactive insight webinar with IBM. Take part in a Live Q&A session with the recruitment team, go through each step of the application process, and speak directly to current apprentices to learn more about life as an



Meet Dentons:
Life as a Solicitor Apprentice at the World's Largest Law Firm

success at school

21st Nov, 2023
18:30-19:15

DENTONS

The banner features an illustration of a woman pointing at a screen and a man holding a tablet. A calendar icon indicates the date and time. The Dentons logo is in a purple arrow shape.

For: Students and parents of Year 10 & 11

Are you considering a career in law? Not sure that university is right for you, but you don't know very much about Solicitor Apprenticeships? Join Dentons to find out more and demystify life as an apprentice in a commercial law firm.

At this virtual event, you will find out more about applying, what the 6-year programme looks like, and how you will be supported throughout. Current apprentices will offer top tips and tell you more about their experiences.

My Uni-Verse

Most school students have anxieties and questions about university life.

My Uni-verse is a peer support channel dedicated to helping every student, whatever their background, overcome those anxieties through informative videos from current students.

So every student can feel confident in their higher education decision and career.

[CLICK THE LINK to the YouTube Channel here.](#)



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Start Your Careers Research Now!

Start your career research now! Whatever year group you are in, it's never too early to start thinking about your career ideas and your plans for the future. The websites below are great for looking at the different job areas and pathways

<https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/careers>

<https://lep.org.uk/our-economy/>

<https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeshipsearch>

Unifrog Careers Platform

All students should have access to the Unifrog platform. This contains a wealth of information about all careers pathways and post 16 options. Students can complete a personality quiz, record their skills and create a CV, access free online courses and compile careers "shortlists" for ideas for their future. <https://www.unifrog.org/>

For all students their username will be their school email address and there is a 'forgotten your password' link for those who need this re-setting. Any issues with logging in please email the [Careers Team](#)



Parents and Carers - We Need You!

Throughout the school year there will be opportunities to take part in careers events. We want to engage with as many local businesses and job sectors as possible. If this is something you, or the business you work for might like to be involved with please contact the [careers team](#).

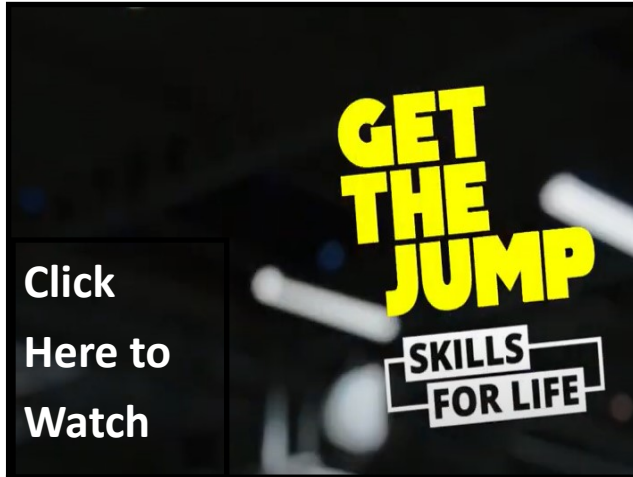




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Want to land the dream job you haven't dreamt of yet? It's ok not to have your life mapped out. But planning your next step in education and training is a great place to start. Visit <https://gov.uk/get-the-jump> to find out more.

What is Labour Market Information?

[Watch this video](#), describing the world of work in Leicester and Leicestershire.



What are T-Levels?

T-Levels are new 2 year qualifications that have been designed with employers to give young people a head start towards the careers they want. A T-Level is equivalent to 3 A levels and attracts the same UCAS points. They combine classroom work with an extended industry placement. [Watch this video to find out more.](#)

JOB OF THE WEEK

EPISODE #135 - VETERINARY NURSE



[CLICK HERE](#)